

VILLAGE OF COTTAGE GROVE

## 2019 BRUSH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

Brush collection will occur monthly during the first full week of each month starting in May and continuing through November (weather permitting). \*April pickup will begin on April 8<sup>th</sup> instead of the first full week.

Week of:

April 8<sup>th</sup> \*

May 6<sup>th</sup>

June 3<sup>rd</sup>

July 1<sup>st</sup>

August 5<sup>th</sup>

September 2<sup>nd</sup>

October 7<sup>th</sup>

November 4<sup>th</sup>

*Christmas tree pick-up will be the weeks of January 6<sup>th</sup> and January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020*

\*All pick-ups are weather dependent.

Have your brush, stacked per Village requirements, **out by 6:00 a.m. on Monday of collection week**. In order to maintain efficient use of staff time, Public Works crews will be working through the Village once and not returning for brush that was not placed in time.

**Please note the following:**

- Brush collection is for brush trimmed by the homeowner only. Brush generated by a private contractor is to be disposed of by the contractor.
- While many Village residences abut public property, residents are not permitted to clear brush from public waterways, public natural spaces, parks or any Village-owned property.
- **NO** compost, root balls, barrels, lumber, furniture, bags or boxes of brush, or materials containing metal will be collected.
- All Christmas trees must be free of all items (stands, bags, tinsel, lights, ornaments, etc.) or they will not be collected.
- Large limbs are not to exceed 8 inches in diameter.
- Brush is to be stacked. If it is not stacked, it will not be collected.
- Maximum brush allowed is: 2 piles; 4 feet wide by 4 feet high by 10 feet long. Residences with piles exceeding this will be skipped and responsible for removal.

Please visit our website at [www.vi.cottagegrove.wi.gov](http://www.vi.cottagegrove.wi.gov) and click on the Public Works/Utilities tab under Departments to see the complete Brush Collection Policy.

The Village of Cottage Grove does not have a site for brush drop-off. Brush can be taken to the Dane County Landfill at 7102 US Hwy 12, Madison, WI 53718, phone number is 608-838-9555.

## 2019 COMPOST DROP OFF

The compost drop-off will continue to be located at the former Public Works Building at 225 Bonnie Road. Leaves and grass clippings can be deposited inside the cement barriers along the side of the building at any time. Please remember that woody material is not accepted at this drop off. The compost site is tentatively scheduled to open the week of April 15, 2019 (weather dependent).